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Re Patent Application of:

Yueh, et al.

Examiner: Amanda C Walke

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For: A low outgassing and non-

crosslinking series of polymers for EUV Negative Tone Photoresists

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 14, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

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Applicant's claim 10 illustrates a negative tone photoresist. Yoon et. al does not disclose a negative tone photoresist, let alone the specific chemical structure illustrated in claim 10.

Therefore, since claims 2-9, 12-29, and 31-32 depend from claims 1, 11, and 30, applicant respectfully submits that they are also in condition for allowance for at least the same reasons stated above.

If there are any additional charges, please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666. If a telephone interview would in any way expedite the prosecution of the present application, the Examiner is invited to contact Edwin H. Taylor at (408) 720-8300.

Respectfully submitted,

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